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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Nicholas J. Bonge Jr.)
Serial No.: 09/788,266) Examiner Van Thanh Trieu
Filed: February 15, 2001) Art Unit 2632
Title: ULTRASONIC TRANSCIEVER AND)
REMOTE CONTROLLED DEVICES)
FOR PETS

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In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2002, Applicant elects Group I (Claims 1-20) for further prosecution.

REMARKS

In the aforementioned Office Action, the Examiner has imposed a restriction requirement on Applicant between Group I (Claims 1-20), which is drawn to the transmitter device for animal training and controlling, and Group II (Claims 21-35), which is drawn to the door movement as controlled by a transmitter means. With respect to Group I, the Examiner has allowed claims 1-20. With respect to Group II, the Examiner has rejected claims 24-23, 25 and 29-31 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over the Lee et al. reference, when further considered in view of the McCuistion III et al. reference. The Examiner has also objected to claims 24, 26-28 and 32-35 as being dependent upon a